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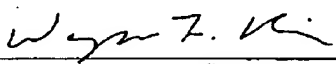
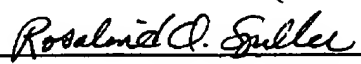
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Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No.: 09/938,031
Applicant(s): Chen et al.
Attorney Docket No.: POU920000198US1
Message: Please find attached hereto the following documents:
1. Amendment Transmittal Letter (1 page) (in duplicate); and
2. Amendment and Response to Final Office Action (14 pages).

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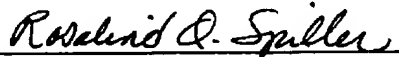
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